GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Revenue (Disaster Management) Department - Drought – North East Monsoon 2017–18 - Rabi - Declaration of additional 9 Mandals as Severe Drought Affected and 9 Mandals as Moderate Drought affected in Prakasam District - Orders – Issued.

REVENUE [DM.II] DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 2 **Dated: 05-03-2018**

Read the following:-

1. G.O.Rt.No.267, Revenue (DM.II) Department, dt. 29.10.2013.
2. Letter No.574/DM.II/A1/2017, dt.27.11.2017, 06.12.2017 and 08.01.2018 of Spl. Commissioner, Disaster Management & EOJS to Govt.
3. Reports received from the District Collectors in January, 2018.
4. Minutes of the Meeting of the Committee on Drought held on 29.01.2018.
5. G.O.MS. No. 1, Revenue (DM.II) Dept., Dated: 19-02-2018.
6. Letter No. COLPKM –DSECODMC (DR)/13/2017 –SA(D4) – COLPRK – Dt:17.02.2018, from the District Collector, Prakasam.
7. Minutes of the Meeting of the Committee on Drought held on 20.02.2018.

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ORDER:

In the reference 5th read above, Govt. declared 80 mandals – 54 mandals categorized as severe Drought and 26 as moderate Drought in 5 districts of Andhra Pradesh Viz., Prakasam (34 severe & 3 moderate); SPS Nellore (15 severe); YSR Kadapa (4 sever & 8 moderate); Ananthapuramu (15 moderate) and Vizianagaram (1 sever) – as Drought affected in Rabi-2017-18.

2. In the reference 6th read above, the District Collector, Prakasam has submitted proposals for additional 18 Mandals for declaration as Drought affected in Rabi-2017-18.

3. The Committee constituted in the reference 1st read above, has met on 20.02.2018 and scrutinized the proposals submitted by the District Collector, Prakasam for declaration as Drought affected Mandals during Rabi-2017-18.

4. Government after careful examination and keeping in view of the reports furnished by District Collector, Prakasam in the reference 6th read above and as recommended by the above Committee hereby declare 18 additional Mandals also [as in Annexure-II] - 9 Mandals categorized as severe Drought and 9 as moderate Drought in Prakasam District in addition to the 80 Mandals declared earlier as Drought affected in the reference 5th read above. Thus the total Mandals declared as drought affected in the State are 98 (80+18), during Drought Rabi -2018.

5. The District Collector, Prakasam shall ensure deletion of the notified municipal/urban areas and areas falling under permanent assured irrigation sources, Urban Mandals which are not declared as drought affected, shall be treated on par with drought affected Mandals for the purpose of drinking water. The District Collector, Prakasam shall issue the notification in the District Gazette as mentioned in Annexure-I in the Telugu language, which is the official language of the State, as per the Andhra Pradesh Official Languages Act, 1995.

6. The District Collector, Prakasam is requested to take immediate further necessary action in matter.

7. The Commissioner and Director of Printing, Stationery and Stores Purchase (Printing Wing), A.P. is requested to publish the notification in the extra-ordinary issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR. MANMOHAN SINGH
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The District Collector, Prakasam.
The District Treasury Officer, Prakasam.
The Commissioner & Director of Printing Stationery & Stores Purchase, A.P.
The Principal Secretary to Government, Agriculture & Cooperation Department
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P.
The Special Chief Secretary & Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, A.P.
The Special Chief Secretary to Government, Planning Department.
The Special Chief Secretary to Government, Finance Department.
The Prl.Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, Animal Husbandry Dairy Development & Fisheries
The Prl.Secretary to Government, MA & UD Department.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, PR & RD Department.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, RWS & S Department.
The Prl.Secretary to Government, Women Development & Child Welfare Deptt.
The Director NRSC, Balanagar, Hyderabad.
The Director of IMD, Begumpet, Hyderabad.
The Director, Agro Climate Research Centre Agriculture Research Institute, ANGRAU.
The Director of Economics & Statistics, A.P.
The Commissioner of I&PR Dept. with a request to issue press note to electronic and print media.
The Commissioner, Civil Supplies & Ex. Officio Secretary to Government.
The Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P. Guntur.
The Commissioner of Horticulture, A.P. Guntur.
The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P.
The Commissioner, Rural Development.
The Commissioner, Panchayat Raj Department,
The Commissioner & Director of School Education,
The Commissioner & Director of Intermediate Education,
The Commissioner, Higher Education,
The Managing Director, A.P. State Civil Supplies Corporation.
The Managing Director, APTRANSCO.
The Director, Animal Husbandry, A.P.
The Director, Health Department, A.P.
The Director, State Audit Dept.
The Director, Groundwater, Department.
The Chief Executive Officer, APSDPS.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Public Health, A.P.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, A.P.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply, A.P.
The Chief Engineer, Public Health, A.P.

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All the Spl.CS/Principal Secretaries in the CM's Office.
The Agriculture & Cooperation Department.
The Education Department.
The Energy Department.
The Animal Husbandry, Dairy Development & Fisheries Department.
The PR&RD (RWS.I, II, III & RD.I, II, III) Department.
The Managing Director, APCOB.

The Finance (FMU-Rev-IC) Department.
The Convener, A.P. State Level Banker's Committee, Andhra Bank, Saifabad, Hyd.
The Managing Director, NABARD, Hyderabad.
The General Administration (Cabinet) Department.
The P.S to Dy. CM (Home & DM)
The P.S. to Dy CM. (Revenue)
The P.S. to Minister (Finance).
The P.S. to Minister (Agriculture)
The P.S. to Chief Secretary to Government.
The P.S. to Spl. Chief Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.
The Revenue (DM Accounts) Department, A.P. Secretariat.
The P.S. to Spl. Commissioner, Disaster Management & Ex-officio Joint Secretary to Government.

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SECTION OFFICER

ANNEXURE-I

(G.O. Ms. No. 2 , REVENUE (DM.II) DEPT, DT. 05.03.2018)

NOTIFICATION

In the circumstances reported by the District Collector, Prakasam, the Government hereby declare that Drought exists during the Rabi 2017 -18 in 18 Mandals annexed to this order. The District Collector, Prakasam is requested to take necessary further action and notify the specific Mandals/specific areas in the Mandal in the District Gazette to enable farmers to avail credit facilities and to take up relief operations. The concerned District Collector shall ensure deletion of the notified Municipal/Urban areas and areas falling under permanent assured irrigation sources where water is being supplied for crops from drought affected Mandals though for purpose of drinking water only they shall be treated on par with drought affected Mandals.

The District Collector, Prakasam is requested to furnish (10) copies of the District Gazette Notification to the Government.

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ANNEXURE – II

DECLARED AS DROUGHT AFFECTED MANDALS

(Vide GO Ms. No. 2 , Revenue (DM.II) Dept., dt. 05.03.2018)

PRAKASAM DISTRICT			
Sl. No	**Severe**	**Sl. No**	**Moderate**
1	Kothapatnam	**1**	Chinaganjam
2	Maddipadu	**2**	Inkollu
3	N.G.Padu	**3**	J.Pangalur
4	Ongole	**4**	Karamchedu
5	Kondepi	**5**	Parchur
6	Ulavapadu	**6**	Vetapalem
7	Zarugumalli	**7**	Yaddanapudi
8	Kandukur	**8**	Pullalacheruvu
9	Y.Palem	**9**	Tangutur

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